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THE EUROPEAN WAR-CLOUD.

Public attention is for the time deeply engrossed in the new phase which has been given the American question by the late advices from Europe, and speculation is rife as to the character of those events with which the coming thirty days are pregnant. The war-cloud beyond the Atlantic-a while back a mere speck in the dim distance—has assumed tremendous proportions. An impassioned cry of national indignation has burst upon the ear from the British Ministry, people and press, and John Bull insulted, betakes himself to the busy work of marshaling fleets and men. New complications arise, and "War-rampent war, Yoken her red-drogom to her Iron ear,"

But what's to be the upshot of this formidable demonstration, is the interrogatory now upon the lips of all-and no Delphic oracle gives its authoritative response to the carnest inquiry. Are the United States and England to be precipitated into war, or will the pending imbroglio be averted by a prompt surrender of the Confederate mers, accompanied with the requisite apology ! In the consideration of this matter, complied with, and thence to expect the sequence of a sharp and decisive foreign intervention and must remain at the North. The emergency by which the Lincoln dynasty one, and cunning must be the diplomacy that saves them from the usual appeal to the arbitrament of the sword. The rumor that LOUIS NA-POLEON is to offer himself as arbiter for the settlement of the affair, if true, will have but little effect upon the ultimate result. There are no knotty law questions to be settled by special pleading between Lord Lyons and SEWARD. England has already promptly given the national decision against the legality of the seizure made by Capt. Wilkies, and has instructed her minicter at Washington to formally demand the un conditional restoration of the prisoners. There is no loophole of retreat for her, and if any one back down, it must be the Lincoln government.

tain as would be a doubtful popular election at dollars. the ballot-box. They may decide for war with England, and make the crisis an occasion to recognize the independence of the Confederate States, an event which they already see must intend to do after the rebellion is subdued, as the Armistead claim. out meaning. He was evidently unwilling to and terned over to the government for \$120. of the spirit in which the intelligence of the arrest was received beyond the Atlantic. Will be net now yield a doubtful point upon which he paralization of Northern commerce—in the dis- threatened serious consequences. persing of the Pederal fleet along the southern The Albany Journal, speaking of the "Order

astate Premier. But a divided Cabinet is inevi- for the place." the commissioners was not confiscated. The and a few days since he was taken to jail. ed by the government in its official capacity.

But whatever may be that decision, the San Jacinto-Trent affair may be regarded, as we first adopted a memorial to Congress that the assay as follows:

The insult offered the British flag by a people and the necessity of Southern recognition. The DELL was designed to circumvent. The recognition of the Confederate States as an independent nationality, and the breaking of the blockade very probable among other important issues of the coming ninety days. Whether so or not, Mr. LINCOLN will confront embatrassments growing out of this affair, which will make him prone to believe with TALLEVRAND that a diplomatic blunder is far worse than a diplomatic

LIGHT DAWNING.

following paragraph:

government and the people of the leyal States the present. hat if we have any hopes of crushing ou, the rebellion and restoring the national boundaries. us, and the rules of war allow, and we are fast | nounces that the Federal programme for the war

events, and betrays the corresponding growth of truly, that the "northern people have been so regiments from Henry, viz: Cols. Travis' and Richmond, December 18—(via New Orleans, match for the enemy's rifled cannon. The other day cight came in together despair in the Northern soind regarding the suc-despair in the Northern soind regarding the suc-successful termination of this war. New lights are dawning every day, and new confessions being by our troops, that they will probably be disapdistinguished itself on the bloody field of BelSince leaving the passes of the Mississippi

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To the bloody field o elicited which give absolute assurances that pointed again when they hear that our armies are mont. It every county in the States of the Conceign news.

the vengeance of the Lincoln government. The "hitherto remarkable quietude of this army for northern boundary of Tennessee, the experiment ministers were present; previous to which three alludes to a very delicate question: made by the military board, for a loan. To this nificant. that if the banks created by the Legislature with plan is well understood to be that a simultaneous It will pay quite as well. certain valuable privileges, withhold their quota advance shall take place-on the Mississippi, of fands, as a means of crippling the action of the against Columbus. Ky., in central Kentucky, A ginhouse, including a mill and some Smie, the Legislature will adopt such action as upon Bowling Green; from Romney, upon Win-thirty bales of unginned cotton, belonging to bank are so completely enlisted in the cause of Norfolk; and that BUTLER's, BURNSIDE's and originated from a match, which had been dropped for Canada. The Queen has issued a proclamathe Confederates, that they fall to respond to the SHERMAN's coast expeditions shall make demou- carelessly in the cotton, falling among the saws. tion forbidding the exportation of arms, powder, call of the military board, it should be known at strations at the same time." ouce. Or, it suggests that it may be, that through bad management the bank is unable to IP The Chicago Tribune says that Semator respond to the call. In either case, a searching | Wilson, of Mass., in a Senate debate pronounced inquiry should be instituted by the Legislature, the Federal campaign in South Carolina the The 8th Tennessee regiment has gone to and the facis made known.

LATE NORTHERN INTELLIGENCE. We find in the St. Louis telegraphic corres indence of the Chicago Times, the announce

ent of Gen. Sherman's insanity and his remo al from his command in Missouri to Ohio, hy his friends. Referring to the fact the St. Loui Democrat says that the "singular conduct o Gen. S., in Kentucky, and which led to his suraession by General Buell, was even more narked in this State, and at length the convicbould be removed from the army, and subjected proper treatment." His friends reside it Mansfield, Ohio.

The St. Louis Democrat of the 12th announce ith "disappointment and mortification at up to "the morning of the 11th, less than sixty thousand dellars of the popular loan of the United States had been taken in this city. The editor's hopes, were, however, relieve seeing the certificates of a patriotic mother and

enmittee, to testify how he got possession of the committee had no power to investigate the subject, its legal authority being confined to second, that the public interests, if not com-

leged and confidential.

The St. Louis Democrat has information as to the following amendment: ern Confederacy once. It does not look much tifty thousand or sixty thousand barrels of flour those in actual service.

hands at present prices." In Pittsburg, on Saturday the 7th inst., there not apply to the Home Guards." were over forty-five thousand hogs waiting shipment East over the Pennsylvania Central rail- 39, mays 13.

The ship Harvey Birch, that was burned by The motives that actuate its Cabin t am of a hundred and eighty-two tuns register, with was also laid on the table. Various other amend

in the latter city.

tain defeat of his cherished hope of southern con- since, were painfully complicated by crysipelas passed—ayes 40, noes 19.

nouncing it the most cowardly and cruel act of We very much apprehend that such will be the campaign. If this is a specimen of Gen. the wise conclusion of Mr. Lincoln and his Halleck's administration, he is the wrong can

table, and in addition a divided Congress. Samuel P. Skinner, of New Bedford, Mass., only endorsed the outrage in his late official Te- been sentenced to pay a fine of one thousand

Captain Wilkes for the conspicuous part gard to the Great Eastern. They think it doubt-exchanged for mye flour. which he bore in the seizure. Such facts as ful whether she will ever make another sea trip, these assist in rendering doubtful all specula- and think that, after remaining awhile at Milford tions as to the course that will ultimately be adopt- Haven, she will be converted into a bath-house is a very important and pertinent truth, put in or a floating hospital."

characterized it thirty days since, one of the office in that city be made also a mint for the coinage of currency, and state the following reawhose jealous hostility to British interests is a in 1854, the total bullion deposited in it was

claimoring about the inefficiency of the blockade. pense of transportation last year was \$71.755. A correspondent of the Missouri Republican thinks Seward was felicitous, not long since,

Columbus. Upon careful inquiry we discovered there was no truth in the report. For several days past, one of the Confederate transport steamers was observed landing troops in the morning and debarking them in the afternoon, was going on, supposing that one of those terririble masked batteries was being erected, to an-to any heretofore raised in the State." The Chicago Tribune of the 11th inst., has the may them during their proposed descent down the Mississippi.

The Cincinnati Commercial, of the 12th, animakes the report as vague as the message.

ists throughout the North. They now continus The army of Gen. BUELL, "on the direct and brave enough to defy the world in arms. tion which will inevitably bring down upon it force is "concentrating on Green river," and the be induced to habitate even as far North as the cil at Windsor, where three of her majesty's correspondent of the Richmond Examiner thus to-day rules the hour in that State, whose people directors positively refused to respond to a call so long a time, rendering its movement more sig. may at once be looked upon as a foregone failure. ministers attended a cabinet council at Lord I have alieded to the fact that many persons

"most disgraceful of the war so far."

TENNESSEE LEGISLATURE. In the House, on the 17th, Mr. McDowe

made the following statement: He said he held in his hand a petition from ld man, of three score years and ten, of his county—a Union man, but conservative—a man full of years and honors. This old man was a member of the convention that framed the Co-Legislature nearly half a century ago, and h now exercises more influence than any man his age in Greene county. This old man, like on was forced upon the minds of his friends himself, as he remarked in the House a few days has be was suffering a mental aberration and since, had abandoned the last lingering hope the preservation of the Union since the late re markable message of President Lincoln to the Northern Congress. He desired that the peti-tion be read to show the spirit that actuates this id man. He would remark, in this connection nat he had just received a private letter informg him that at least one thousand men in hi unty had voluntarily come for a ard and taker the eath of allegiance since Lincoln's message ad been made public.

The petition was then read by the clerk. It sections that the petitioner, John McGauhey, Esq. was a conservative Union man up to the August her two sons-her own filled up with one hun- election, but he is now fully convinced that the the 17th, which state that the Lincoln governdred dollars, and each of theirs with fifty dollars Union is dissolved, never to be reconstructed. It ment had received no official information from In Washington, a few days since, Samuel bathers! If the leaders of the North are deter-Wilkeson, of the New York Tribune, was mined to prosecute this war, let it be so; the brought before the Van Wyck Investigating South will, after having made a reasonable peace proposition, stand justified in the eyes of the wilized world. What could add more to the hat portion of the Committee's testimony taken high position that our noble State occupies in the essation of all hostilities until spring, and in the fact. the investigation of fraudulent contracts, etc.; meantime, the election of a commissioner in each meet a similar number from the North, to form a mon law, required that the communications basis of unqualified southern independence, made to editors by informants, should be privi- with a fair division of all the public property.

The bill from the Senate, to provide for the entertain the proposition, forwarded by special second time, when the consideration of the bill that the most abject submission on the part of messenger and flag of truce from Gov. Reed, of to establish the two term system of the circuit the Federal government would not prevent war the wish being father to the thought, we are all North Carolina, that the two sons of the late courts, and for other purposes, was resumed. as she is determined to inaugurate a war at any prone to believe that the demand will not be Senator Douglas be sent South to save their Mis- An amendment was offered, to extend the lien cost. sissippi estates. She says they belong to Illinois proposed in the act to personal property, which was laid on the table. Mr. Somervell proposed

now finds itself overtaken, is certainly a trying the quantity of breadstuffs in the South, and Be it further enacted. That the provisions of titled, "an act to raise, organize and equip a provisional force, and for other purposes,

on hand, and it cannot be sold at any price at The section referred to reads: "Be it further present. The amount of flour in Memphis is enacted, That the property of all volunteers estimated at from twenty-five thousand to thirty raised under the provisions of this act shall be thousand barrels, and there is little changing exempt form execution and other civil process whilst in actual service; but this section shall The proposition was tabled by a vote of year

Mr. Osborne offered an amendment to the bill providing that the salaries of judges and chanthe Nashville, was a vessel of one thousand four cellors shall hereafter be \$1200 per annum, which conflicting character, and its decision as uncer- three decks, and valued at seventy thousand ments were disposed of the same way, when Mr. Miller offered an amendment to the bill, pro-

Miss Maggie Mitchell left Cincinnati on the viding that the annual salaries of the judges of 9th for St. Louis, to enter upon an engagement the circuit and chancery courts hereafter elected. shall be \$1000 per annum. Secretary Seward in his correspondence with After a lengthy discussion of the merits of the Important Mavements in come sooner or later any way. Or they may, on | Carl Shurz, printed in a volume just published, | bill and the pending amendment, Mr. Garner the contrary, give up the commissioners under says that whatever former administrations may said the House had already devoted more than a thought members were now ready to vote. He, The Indianapolis Journal says that a govern-therefore, demanded the previous question, excuse for not accepting the challenge to present ment horse buying agent, whose headquarters which demand was sustained, ayes 21, noes 23. combat as offered by England. The reticence of have been at that city, has made \$18,000 on the Mr. Flemming said it was understood when Mr. Lencoux on this delicate and absorbing ques- purchase of 1200 horses. It instances one horse, the bill was passed on its second reading, that

tion, in his late message, certainly was not with- a blind horse, picked up on the street for \$30, those who desired to amend and perfect it should have ample opportunity to do so on the third take any determined stand until he could hear. The Federal government has determined to reading. He regretted that the Representative till all the regiments to the maximum standard from Robertson had demanded the previous question and he had voted in the affirmative Gov. Yates, of Illinois, after a protracted and when he saw that the demand would be susserious illness, is now convaiescent and in a fair tained, with the view of moving a reconsideraway to complete restoration to health. The in. tion, in order that the bill might be perfected of foreign nations? Can be look upon war with juries received by the kick of his horse, at the He made a motion to that effect, which was de-England otherwise than as resulting in the cer- great review of Camp Butler troops some weeks cided not in order, and the bill was finally

quest-in blocksded ports at the North, and the setting in on the injured leg, and this for a time No proceedings of the Senate, on the 17th, are

FEDERAL STEALING .- The Chicago Tribune States marshal, on suspicion that they had been district. stolen from the government. Most of the origiport, but regretted that the British vessel bearing dollars and be imprisoned a term of five years; belonged to the government. The broker, in the universal suspension of specie payments at whose hands they were found, claims that they the North. lower House of the Federal Congress likewise A letter from London says: "Naunical men had been consigned to his clerk, by order of a endorsed it by unanimously returning thanks to here express very discouraging opinions in re-high official in the army at Washington, to be endorsed it by unanimously returning thanks to here express very discouraging opinions in re-

The Cincinnati Commercial thinks there

one short sentence in the Washington corres-The New York Chamber of Commerce have pendence of the Boston Anti-Stavery Standard, "If none but Simon Pure Abolitionists can fight or engineer this war, we have a sorry

Boston." are governed by their emotions."

We were in error in stating that the 24th nition because of a squeamish sentimentality on whan some friends of his were warning him regiment Mississippi volunteers, enlisted for the the negro question, and urged the danger of war against the intentions of a supposed rival, and war, a part of which recently arrived at Savanas a mere argument in support of their attitude. he said: "It would be as absurd for one of us nah, Ga, is commanded by Col. Colbert. The But this error of Lancoln's has intensified to-day to spend our time in laying plans for fu- officers of this regiment are: Wm. F. Dowd, of British animosity against his government to such ture political advancement, as it would have Monroe, colonel commanding; P. R. McKelvain, a frightful extent as to probably insure the very been for Noah to have used up his forty days in of Kemp, lieutenant-colonel; and W. C. Staples, results which the capture of Mason and Sit- the ark, laying out town lots on Mount Aranat." of Choctaw, major. The remaining companies of the regiment, detained by camp measels, left their camp, at Marion Station, Miss., for Savan-Rumors were rife yesterday of another fight at | nah, Ga., on Tussday, the 17th of December.

> City on the 7th, for Rolla, and reports that when | nent. near Clinton, he saw a good many wagons load- A special to the Union and American, from

Their discovery on the bank at Hunter's plan- ville Journal, is not satisfied with the official able to present this morning, will be found unu-A WINTER CAMPAIGN PROMISED. the modified section. The modification simply

is a winter campaign. It claims to have evidence to the Cincinnati Commer- to a sent another yesterday. The Kentucky brigade, 2d Missis- at them, but being outside the bar she cannot be trom a Paducah letter to the Cincinnati Commer- to as to the production of a contour crop for the The confession of the South's growing strength certainly no strange thing. It has been forced contemplated by Gen. McClellan."

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M. Clark, under the late requisition of the Government of the war. It was raised by Col. John much damaged. Fort Pickens had, up to date, much damaged. Fort Pickens had, up to date, only the muc is certainly no strange thing. It has been forced paign" is " contemplated by Gen. McClellan," M. Clark, under the late requisition of the Gov-ward this morning. from the Tribone by the indomitable logic of and that "the hour is at hand," and adds, very ernor. The Paris Scattered says: This makes two

The Tribune man had better devote a few thou. Palmerston's official residence. demand the Democrat calls attention, and hopes It is also asserted that "Gen. McClellan's sand acres to growing oranges at the same time.

> Both branches of the Tennessee Legisla ture have passed a resolution to take a recess from the 21st inst., to the 20th of January.

South Carolina.

Telegraphic News.

THE INBROGLIO WITH ENGLAND Decision of the Federal Cabinet!

> THE DEMANDS OF ENGLAND TO BE DISREGARDED!

A Foreign War Inevitable

ecial to the Memphis Appeal. COLUMBUS, December 19, 1861.—The Chicago Tribune of the 18th was received here tolight, containing advices from Washington to may be asked, he says, what can we do but con- England in relation to the case of Messrs. Mason and Slidell.

The Tribune says: "There was a full Cabinet council yesterday, in which our difficulties with England was discussed with great calmness and firmness. It was determined that no matter in St. Louis, concerning the Fremont frauds. eyes of an enlightened world, than to lead off by what the nature of the demand England might He refused to answer, on the ground, first, that her Legislature in the inauguration of a policy make, Messrs. Mason and Slidell shall never be ornble peace? He proposes, to this end, the given up. This may be relied upon as a fixed

The impression at Washington is, that Engcongressional district in the several States, to landwill make the demand for the surrender of these gentlemen, but that a lengthy correspondence will settle the difficulty without war. The Tribune takes the ground that the demand Mrs. Douglas, it is said, persistently refuses to families of indigent volunteers, was read the is only a pretext on the part of England, and

> Bank Act in Mississippi. Jackson, Miss., December 19.—The bank

bill has just passed the Mississippi Legislature. 14th, who had been captured in Searcy county. says: "We were going to starve out the South-sided an act to raise organize and equip a proex- treasury notes in payment of debts, and that the whose nest was discovered and broken up in I therefore concluded to sacrifice the interest of like it now. New Orleans is supposed to have tended to all the chizens of the State, as well as notes of the banks shall be receivable for all Van Buren county a short time ago. The Jour- my officers and crew in the prize, and suffer the public dues except the Confederate war tax. LATER FROM THE NORTH

Foreign War!

England Suspended.

The Federal Minister Demands His Passports.

Kentucky!

The Blockade Insufficient. Al GUSTA, (via New Orleans) December 19 .-The Savannah Republican of this morning, states that a cargo of 1250 sacks of coffee arrived at a Confederate port this week.

The News has dispatches from Charleston stating that four of the enemy's gunboats ascended North Edisto inlet on Tuesday afternoon, and anchored opposite Rockville, on St. John's Island, thirty miles from Charleston.

RICHMOND, December 19 .-- W. P. Byrd, o in September as a spy, has been released. The raise. with any force which it would be possible to completed their brave exploit by arresting several supposed southrous. coast, and the speedy recognition of Southern in- No. 3," says; "We have no hesitation in pro- states that a quantity of Federal commissary Examiner says the decision in his favor was stores, consisting of twenty-one tierces of bacon made after favorable representations in his be- handful of old regulars who were reviewed day believille will be ordered to Green river bridge. and several more of other smoked and salted half made Hon. H. C. Burnett, member of the before yesterday, we might hope for speedy re- and that an effective force of 8,000 or 10,000 men meats, were seized at New York, by the United Confederate Congress from Paducah (Kentucky)

Minister Adams, the Federal Plenipotentiary at the British Court, demanded his passports

Effect of the European News at the North. to put down the robellion and preserve slavery The effect in monetary affairs in New York, Then the patience of the country, constant upon the receipt of the news from Europe, was worn upon by the burdens of war and the de great. Leans upon call advanced three per cent, and sorely exercised by disasters on the field and there was a depreciation of from five to six even this will break down before a way is dis chance, and Jeff. Davis will easily summer in per cent. on all stocks. Federal stocks fell two covered to overthrow Jeff. Davis and preserve the per cent. on all stocks. Federal stocks fell two per cent., and Missouri securities three. Ster-institution in behalf of which he has avowedly initiated the war. Foreign powers, too, may be None others should fight in the Federal ranks, ling exchange advanced to one hundred and ten excused if they do not see any present prospec matter of lostery, has created a feeling of indignation which has awakened the sleeping fires of
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vanced fifteen cents. Spirit of the Northern Press. The tone of the northern press is universally or war. They declare England must be hum-

bled, and that war is inevitable. Mr. Fnulkner Released. Ex-minister Faulkner had arrived at Norfolk and will reach Richmond to-night. Skirmish in Central Kentucky.

NASHVILLE, December 19.-Nothing reliable has been received from Green river to-day. Private dispatches report a general skirmish vesterday, terminating at dark. In the evening

some two or three miles above Belmont on the Missouri shore. The Cairoites having got wind from the river counties. He states there was the Federals sent a flag of truce to bury their Ynnkee Account of the Fort Pickens Fight. of it, sent down some of their troops to see what the Federals sent a flag of truce to bury their Vankee Account of the Fort Pickens Fight. country, it is highly necessary to provent our two goldeness that the insurgents would recuperate a force south of the Osage equal at least interred. The Lincolnites were reported to be from Martinique, dated November 21, states that Trunk railway or the Canadian canals as a playe property. The great split in the Union retreating across Green River.

Federal Prisoners.

side of the river.

From England.

Lord Lyons' instructions, in which the cabi-

England Preparing for War.

A large number of British vessels have been redwed to get ready for immediate commissions.

The persistence of our aristocratic and wealthy Dixian brethren in their humorous attempt to cate their official functions in a port of the Conditional Dixian brethren in their humorous attempt to cate their official functions in a port of the Conditional Dixian brethren in their humorous attempt to establish a new confederacy, has at length im-Opinions of the English Press.

rals fail to do so no man in England will blind Carolinian, Dec. 14.

is eyes to the alternative that England must do her duty. The Times reasserts that it has been ward's policy to force a quarrel with England and calls for energetic military movements in and Sidell: Canada. The Times predicts three things will mmediately follow this outbreak: The destruction of the southern blockade; the complet blockade of the northern ports; the recognition Confederate States were viewed, considered, and of the Southern Confederacy. It has no hopes treated as belligerents, I feel no hesitation that the Federal government will comply with boarding and searching all vessels, of whatever the demands of England. The English journals | nation I fell in with, and I have done so. are very bitter and hostile, pronouncing the the right to capture the persons of the commis Trent affair an intolerable insult.

The French Press. The Paris Patrie argues clearly that France will side with England, and recognize the South- jecting the vessel to seigure and condemnation ern Confederacy. It has official information reshadowing the disposition of France to re- of their being on board; but these gentlemen ognize the independence of the Southern Con-and nowhere could I find a case in point. They ederacy if England sets the example. The had been presented to the captain-general Paris Temps repeats the statement that Napeleon | Cuba by her Britanic majesty's consul-genera has tendered his services as mediator. Proposed Arbitration.

A rumor exists in Liverpool that Napoleon has been proposed as an arbitrator between England and the United States. Cotton Market. sells at 36 cents.

Cotton is inactive in Liverpool and has declir Bennett Alurmed. the character of these persons. The New York Herald arges the North to pa

Rejoicings at Norfolk. Norfolk is all excitement. Great joy provaile ast night at the reception of the European news. Bonfires were lighted, rockets touched off, etc. A Later Arrival. CAPE RACE, December 15,-The City of

the harbors and coasts thereof in a thorough state

bated. No particulars have yet been received. ARKANSAS INTELLIGENCE.—Seventy-seven would have been put to great loss and inconve-

nal states that the foul conspiracy, which was the work of a fanatical eld free-will Baptist considering I had attained the important end I preacher, aided by a few hoary headed old sin- had in view. ners, who have been long living in crime and wickedness among the barrens of the northern border counties, has been thoroughly broken up The Northern Press for a by the vigilance and prompt action of the loyal the most startling nature: that the enemy had

citizens of those counties. to meet Gen. Hindman; that the opposing force The Adams battery have left their camp at had met, and the enemy routed with severe los Little Rock and gone into winter quarters in the etc., etc., were currently circulated and repeat-Diplomatic Relations with Beston mountains.

A Moral Hero.-The Washington corres- ists crossed Green river at Munfordsville yeste pondent of the Philadelphia Inquirer, telegraphs day morning, on a reconnectering expe that journal the following gratifying bit of in-telligence. All honor to the brave Vallandig driven back with a loss on their part of one ham. We trust the South may find an early killed. ecasion of manifesting their respect for his grand | Capt. Wallace immediately fell back to the worsl courage:

Vallandigham, of Ohio, is here, as hold as ever, but his aid-de-camp, Burnett, is non est.

camped about eight miles south of the river.

Reliable information, to the effect that 4000 Federals are at Muniordsville, and that they pro-

ings of the forfeiture of the charters of the banks asking what course to pursue-whether to ad vance upon them, await an attack, or what not of Louisiana, that have suspended specie payment, has passed the Senate by a vote 21 to 3.

Facts Concerning the Federal Army. Horace White, one of the editors of the Chica-We have now over six hundred thousand mon a large reinforcement, will be sent to Green river under pay in the army alone. This I know to this morning, and that a fight or foot-race is im-

This number includes efficers and minent. The present hall cannot much lo John's Island, thirty miles from Charleston, men in all departments, teamsters, armorers, etc. exist: a violent storm is gathering, and most They shelled the camp of the first South Carolina Here, in and around Washington, are more soon burst forth in a panorama of life and death regiment, and under cover of their fire, landed a soldiers than any mortal man can ever maneu- unequalled in horror by that of any bloody pie large force. The Carolinians fell back to the ver in battle. What is the use of having more! ture presented since the inauguration of They would only trample each other to death war in America. like bbffaloes. The ground on which they are After the burning of Bacon creek bridge b expected to operate is the worst in the world for Capt. Allen's command, Gen. McCook sent on handling large armes. If we can do nothing thousand cavalry to Munfordsville, who, in the Augusta, Georgia, who was arrested here early with the force we now have, we can do nothing absence of a for, destroyed the ferry boat, and

paired than enhanced by the addition of new re-cruits. It does seem that anything which we Since the issuance of Lincoln's message, to-Suspension of Specie Payments at the can hope to accomplish in the way of more cargether with the report of the Secretary of War, Secretary Wellies, of the Navy Department, not emvicied of fitting out a slaver at that port, has nal marks on the packages were crased, but The Enquirer says that a special dispatch as with one five times as large. The Beaufort to assist in crushing the rebellion, the greatest as with one five times as large. The Beaufort to assist in crushing the rebellion, the greatest enough remained to show that they had once from Norfolk, received this morning, amounted expedition has resulted in nothing thus far but dissatisfaction exists among the few Kentucky belonged to the covernment. The broker is the reviewed to the covernment of species reviewed that they had once from Norfolk, received this morning, amounted to the covernment of the property of the Affairs are at a dead lock in Western Virginia; an actual revolt among them has taken place.

navy departments are nearer two million dollars of hostilities, evidences of the transpiring of than one million. The country can stand that little bill a while, more prominent than at another, now is that time

the cause of the rebellion.

CARO, December 9.—The two new gun boats, Benton and Essex, that left St. Louis a implacable hostility to the United States govern few days since, grounded about twenty miles ment, and of extraordinary and unaccountable above Cape Girardesu. A force of over three sympathy for the rebels; and they reckon that, bundred men and some steamers have been sent with this adventitious aid, they will be enable to their relief. They will probably be affost to- to induce a majority of the members of Congress

A force of about two bundred men left here his morning on board the steamer Chancellor, this morning on board the steamer Chancellor, for some point above, in Kentucky.

On Saturday Capt. McFarland, a merchant dependence. This will doubtless console t living at Elizabethtown, Hardin county, Ili., in- people of Canada for the advantages which the ptured and brought to this place on the steamer lishment of a new commercial system, while Courier. The goods consisted of 450 ounces of will effectually prevent the exportation of Unite States projuce by way of Carada. It, as the States produce by way of quinine, and boxes containing a variety of arti-

the Iroquois is off that port waiting for the Sum-means of communication with the scaboard. ter. Another, dated the 25th, says: "The Iro-quois arrived last night, but the Sumter has Twenty-four Hessian prisioners were brought here to-day from Bowling Green, among whom were John Frain. Col. Grider's apartermaster.

A private letter from on board the dispatched hastily across the Atlantic to watch for the rebel steamer Nashville, now in the port at Fort Pickens, dated November 23, states that sually full and interesting, and from all the principal points of Secessia. Such news should given by the shrill whistle of the war steamer of the Secretary of War, after having been in the vessels commenced bombarding Fort McKae ing the protection of British waters. If the vessels commenced bombarding Fort McKae ing the protection of British waters. the vessels commenced bombarding Fort McKae ing the protection of British waters. If the oresid, to give an adequate idea of the great reside to give an adequate idea of the great residence for the passengers of the passengers o bellion: that in these months past, while this war has been in progress. the South has been in progress, the South has been correspondent of the accuracy of his aim, when a shell bounced through our bulwarks and took.

The Bowling Green correspondent of the Ban, was imminent. The dispatches protecting slavery modified by him.

The dispatches protecting slavery modified by him. sowers of self-support and resistance. It is tronger to deg than it was six months ago. The oversument and the people of the level States oversument and the people of the level States and took the present.

The dispatches yesterday from the large numbers were pouring down upon Green was founded six more men. This large numbers were pouring down upon Green was founded six more men. This shell bounced through our bulwarks and took his head off, and wounded six more men. This large numbers were pouring down upon Green was founded think, after a manner that ought to water and made her stagger like a dranken man. River. The railroad bridge had been repaired, and the shell burst six feet below the water and made her stagger like a dranken man. Shell bounced through our bulwarks and took his head off, and wounded six more men. This large numbers were pouring down upon Green water and made her stagger like a dranken man. River. The railroad bridge had been repaired, but the present. as it originally stood is repudiated or denied in and pontoon bridges were thrown across. Five Another shell burst six feet below the water line. and pontoon bridges were thrown across. Five thousand of the enemy were in position on this the vessel free.

The firing continued all day and was resumed Gens. Johnston and Backner hastened forward out of his range. The trigate Niagara still kept which there is not a particle of truth, is chipped in the resolution, will be to determine the convention, as defined out of his range. it with our smoothe-bore guns, as they are no

several rebel vessels had managed to escape. A esty, and of the crushed loyalty that exists even elicited which give absolute assurances that all idea of substitute as the substitut the fight only in a spirit of revengeful despertion.

Louisville and Nashville line," is stated to be acrying eighteen or twenty of the heaviest grams and the fight only in a spirit of revengeful despernot less than 60,000 strong," and to join him the acrying eighteen or twenty of the heaviest grams ready to reper attack, each steam battering rams ready to reper attack, eac the loyal States if they could, but they are The Bank of Louisville has taken a posi- regiments left Louisville on the 9th. The whole with the greatest difficulty that king cotton can On the 30th her majesty held a private coun-

> are loyal, but whose authorities are traitors, is awful indeed. have claimed and obtained consular exemption The New York Mercury begins to apprefrom military duty. This brings up a delicate ciate the fact that the South is in earnest, and question—one which has of late, been a matter net are said to be unanimous, are explicit and of considerable comment and discussion here makes the acknowledgment of conviction in this to-wit; the right of the foreign consuls to exer- wise:

will speedily ascertain the reason why. It adds chester; from the Potomac, into Eastern Virtual if the sympathies of the directors in this ginia; from Fortress Monroe, upon Yorktown or fire a few days since. It is supposed that the fire such a pleasingly-sentimental affair as a quarre tion forbidding the exportation of arms, powder, lead and all materials for the making of powder.

Grintons of the English Press.

The Latest.—We returned last evening truling exercise of common sense to put it down. The amiable delusion of supposing otherwise, so long indulged by our gentse-hearted rulers, has prevails there that the blockade will be raised long indulged by our gentse-hearted rulers, has a supposing otherwise, so long indulged by our gentse-hearted rulers, has a supposing otherwise, so long indulged by our gentse-hearted rulers, has a supposing otherwise, so long indulged by our gentse-hearted rulers, has a supposing otherwise, so long indulged by our gentse-hearted rulers, has a supposing otherwise, so long indulged by our gentse-hearted rulers, has a supposing otherwise, so long indulged by our gentse-hearted rulers, has a supposing otherwise, so long indulged by our gentse-hearted rulers, has a supposing otherwise, so long indulged by our gentse-hearted rulers, has a supposing otherwise, so long indulged by our gentse-hearted rulers, has a supposing otherwise, so long indulged by our gentse-hearted rulers, has a supposing otherwise, so long indulged by our gentse-hearted rulers, has a supposing otherwise, and the supposing otherwise and the supposin The London Post says an acknowledgment in less than thirty days. We incline to the been productive of many very affecting displays The London Post says an acknowledgment of the prisoners will be received with great joy; but if the Fedewill be received with great joy; but if the Fedethe insult to her flag by Com. Wilkes—South losses much of its good effect when lavished on

the mercy of desolating treason. A long cor

FAMINE IN IRELAND. CAPT. WILKE'S REPORT. New York, December 10.—The following a abridged copy of the report of Capt. Wilkes The Dublin Freeman, November 14, has the

signing his reason for the arrest of Mason

are expressly referred to in all authorities, sul

if the captain of the vessel had the knowledge

therefore became my duty to arrest their pro-

gress and capture them if they had no passpor

FROM BOWLING GREEN.

tation in the fact that a small body of Federa

main body of Gen. Hindman's command, en-

se crossing that stream, reached Gen. His

Gen. Hindman's effective force does not excee

000 men, with a few pieces of artillery, and

A grand review of the entire artiflery corp

If at any one time, since the commencem

We learn that a determined effort is going to

cal of the reciprocity treaty with Canada. Rep

resentatives of border constituencies have ways been opposed to it, as, in their view,

gave to Canada benefits which were by no mean

equited by the province. A generous regard to neighboring and ailled people has hitherto in

aced the bulk of the members of Congress t

collect complete files of the Toronto Leader and

Quebec Chronicle, the government organs, which

Confederacy if it succeeds in establishing its in

7th, contains the following:

to an attack being annels by him.

II. S. STEIDHER SAN JACINTO, AT SEA,

The potato crop is now day out, and the result ad been anticipated. More than one-half is se pits, excluding the slightest approach of The government of Great Britain, France dr, remains to be seen. In the provincial papers we find that some localities had been visited less nd Spain, having issued proclamations that the raw conclusions about "things being an han they had been represented." We wish we ould join in the encouragement, and hold out a-The question arose in my mind whether I had ope of improvement. But we exend. The de food of the country has been already reioners and whether they were amenable to cap ced to one-half, an estimate of which farmers ture. There was no doubt that I had the right ards of guardians and lauded preprietors to capture vessels with written dispatches. They or, while in some districts it would not be ex ravagant to assert that so far from, a portion of the coop being available for food the people wi not have sufficient for seed. It is useless to dis ruise the fact, and the government should take

imployment during the onsning year. thlin, (Nov.10) Correspondence of the London Herald.) I regret to hear that there is great distress in But the captain general told me he had not re skibbereen. A correspondent of one of our seived them in that capacity, but as distinguishurnals writes: ed gentlemen and strangers. I then considere hem as the embediment of dispatches, and

stant steps, in concert with proprietors, to give

There is a good deal of misery pending in the aboring classes this winter, and farmers will reatly suffer from deficiency in their crops. or papers from the Federal government, as profair amount of employment could be obtained or the laboring classes, it would be a great if not ided for under the laws of nations, viz: That Cotton has advanced in New York. Middling foreign ministers of a belligerent on board of an effective means of keeping the workhouses neutral ships are requested to possess papers empty. The guardians of the Skull and Skibereen Unions have made an application to the from the other belligerent to permit him to pass free. As respects the steamer in which they government for the loan of £70,000 for the purmbarked, the agent of the vessel, the son of pose of commencing the West Cork railway.

the British consul at Havana, was well aware of lunds, (Nov. 18th,) Cornergonal Sov. Dublin Froman. P. Callman, Esq., Coroner, held an inquest on They went in the steamer with the knowledge e body of a man unknown, aged about twen y-four, who was found dead on the road-side, nd consent of the captain, who endeavored afterward to conceal them by refusing to exhib the passenger list and the papers of the vessel. There can be no doubt that he knew they were erdict that deceased died from the effects of excaustion, starvation and exposure to cold carrying highly important disputches and were endowed with instructions inimical to the Unirountle Silve Change on, November 12.1

ted States. This rendered his vessel, though a deanery of Castlebar gave a true and pubuful neutral, a good prize

I determined to take possession of the vessel Washington has arrived from Liverpool via and as I mentioned in my report, send her to in this province are equally disheartening. In Queenstown, 5th. The excitement in reference Key West for adjudication. I forebore to seize the rocky and mountain parish of Dysact, the her, however, in consequence of my being so potato crop is nearly gone, and if the appeal to the Mason and Sidell affair continued una- reduced in officers and crew, and the derange- made by their good pastor, Father Boenhan, does not soon meet a response, the moral and inment it would cause to innocent persons, there having been a great number of passengers who dustrious people of that district will have no alernative but famine or the workhouse. Sir additional persons arrived at Little Rock on the nience, as well as disappointment from the in-Robert Peel states that the government are condering. When will they act ! being able to join the steamer from St. Thomas ous the Limerick Reporter, Nevember 12.)

The harvest returns in the neighborhood of leweastic West, are lamentably deficient. steamer to proceed, after the necessary detention me-fourth of the potato crop is available for linman food, while acres of wheat have not been t down at all, but allowed to be eaten down CHARLES WILKES. y cattle. Large quantities of hay, which has an several weeks in the meadows half covered tith water, is now being removed to the hagurl, almost useless except for manure. The BOWLING GREEN, December 12.—Reports somiest auticipations are incluiged in as regards prospects of the small farmers during the ossed Green river in force, and were advancing

The Expedition Against Mexico-The London Gazette (supplement) of Novemer 16th, gives the following as the text of the avention between England, France and Spain, lative to combined operations against Mexico: ARTICLE 1. Her Majesty the Queen of the lated Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, er Majesty the Queen of Spain, and his Majesthe Emperor of the French, engage to make modiately after the signature of the present atching to the coasts of Mexico combined naval ad military forces, the strength of which shall determined by a further interchange of comtpy the several fortnesses and military positions

The commanders of the allied forces shall be. reover, authorized to execute the other opera-All the measures contemplated in this article, sall be taken in the name and no account of the ART. 2 The high contracting parties engage

of to seek for themselves, in the employment of he coercive measures contemplated by the present convention, any acquisition of territory my special advantage, and not to exercise in the sternal affairs of Mexico any influence of a nas choose and to constitute freely the form of its

nunissioners, one to be unused by each of the ntracting powers, shall be established, with full wice, having regard to the respective rights of ie three contracting parties. ART. 4. The high contracting parties desiring, oreover, that the measures which they intend

o adopt should not bear an exclusive character, nd being awate that the government of the Inited States, on its part, has, like them, claims o enforce upon the Mexican republic, agree that modiately after the signature of the present nvention, a copy thereof shall be comof to the government of the United States; that tartling occurrences of a sanguinary has were spective ministers at Washington shall be at ace furnished with full powers for the purpose The New York Herald's money article of the rately, with the plenipotentiary designated by the President of the United States, a convention dentical, save the suppression of the present article, with that which they sign this day. But and two of the present convention, the high consgreed not to defer, with the view of obtaining d operations beyond the times at which their unbined forces can be assembled in the neigh-This winter, it seems, the opponents of the treaty

orhood of Yera Cruz. ART. 5. The present convention shall be ratiied, and the ratification thereof shall be exchangd at London within fifteen days. In witness thereof the respective plenipotentia es have signed it, and have affixed thereto the eal of their arms. Done at London, in triplicate, the 31st day

f the month of October, in the year of our Lord,

RUSSELL

XAVIER DE ISTURIZ, Schism Among the Rentucky Unionists. The Louisville correspondent of the Cincinnati Commercial alimbes to the late article of the

Journal as follows: While the article alfuded to has proved nothng, and simply misstated, or at the most exag-gerated the somewhat cloaked idea of the Presi-lent h was produced much mischief and driven party, on which the rebeis depended in the To all appearance, the Journal is trying to ex-

ract itself from the untenable pos tion in which he proceedings of the lower branches of the Louislana Legislature last Saturday, occurs the fol-

we should think, after a manner that ought to mary; Mr. Kernan submitted a joint resolution, in fully satisfy the whole Yankee nation, unless viting a convention of coiton planters, to assem mary next, there presentation of cach parish to b Assum Lying. The following story, in twice as great as that in the House of Represen

> The resolution was amended by the insertion f "Monroe" instead of " Batton Rouge," and, as | DRUGS, MEDICLYES, ETC. amended, on motion of Mr. Dunn, referred to the committee on agricultures

A JUDICIOUS PLANVER.-The Shreveport Southwestern says : One of our most valued friends, who resides a Bassier parish, says that he has on hand a plenty of last year's crop of corn to last until January; that he has made enough corn this season to last him two years; that during the SEQUESTERED PROPERTY ! past summer he had several hundred pounds well-smoked and salted hams, sides and shoulders, besides a quantity of lard, and did not buy a single barrel of pork for plantation use. He thinks that next winter, besides retaining an ample supply for home consumption, he will be this to sell two or three thousand pounds of sequestered property, to wit: pork or bacon. That is the way for planters to -not raise cotton and sugar alone, and have to buy everything else.

Moving.-A main of loaded army wagons, a mile and a half in length, passed through the city this morning. The regiment to which they belong had gone forward, with the exception of a number sufficient to strike tents and pack up. This gives evidence of work.

St. Louis and Kentucky popers please copy.

DIED. On the right of Tuesday, December 34, at the reald nee of A. W. Byers. Panels county, Mics., from the offects of severe burns, Dulian Whesten oldest child of James M. and Mury Webster Loughborough) aprel

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

HOME MILITARY NOTICE erranization of an emblest tree for note only are earn styrequested by a semble at the Mayor's office, on SATITIDAY NIGHT at the cast seven wickels. It is particularly desirable that stars should be a large meeting, not only of the Legico, but of chinena. L. V. DIXO's, Colored.

IMPORTANT MILITARY NOTICE

General Order No. 4. To the Colonel's Communitari of Regiments in the In the change to an enter from the Telam G. Harris, of this daw, you are hereby instructed to a check in the most experiment manner award one within your respective commanns, eithable for service, including those in the hands of the few Ls and hard them over from they y to Major W. R. Hunt, Ordanaes officer at this post.

LET MODING TRAIN POWDER POWDER BORNS MOT POUCHISS and FLAVES to previous orders the collec-tion of arms has been strivity expolated, which the Brigo-

the lite Act of the Legislatire, (herself) americal in the lite lite Act of the Legislatire, (herself) americal hereing and coptains in regard to endergine arms, and they may rest assured the law will be enderself to the law all he editional;

SEC. 18. That it shall be und to hereby made the duty

MACHINERY FOR SALE. A PLANING MACHINE, with Buller, Engine and tweemary tools on a cubic of four, eight and twees marries, without mixes of Broot will prevaled, it will be sold at public numbers, or the prevales, at the interested in of the Pigeon Ro of maximal Administration.

For information apply to decords. St. D. SIO REWARD. STRAYED, on Saintfuy, December 14:)

TO CONTRACTORS: City Engineer's Office, (

tinformation to J. H. HUMPHREYS, FOR RENT. THE STORE, on the corner of Adams and Main streets, under the coordina House, and equal to

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TEGRO MIRITG! WILL, on SATURDAY, the Sale instant, hire to

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City Lamps.

Bit it ordained by the Board of Magor and Aldermen of the City of Memphic: That my person, other than the City Lamp Lighter, or for each and every train he shaft he found guilty a

Attest-L. R. RICHARDS, City Register, Bospital Physician.

BE it ordanest by the Bourd of Mayor and Aldermen pending physican for the purser, in addition to this dather and pending physican for the poor controls the imaginal. He is further exhibited. That this realisance shall take affect from and after the first day of Juntary peak. Approved Decomber 18, 125.

JOHN PARK, Mayor. Allocatella, R. RICHARDS, City Register, & 1943b

Crying the Hours of the Night. BE it emission by the Beard of Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Memphis: That from and after the passage of this ordinance in or, commenting at eleven colock r. A., and stiding at covelock s. M. Be it further ordained. That any policeman failing or refusing to perform the duty specified in the first scetion of the ordainese, shall be removed from office. Approved December 12, 1861.

Attest—L. R. RICHARDS, City Register.

DRUGGISTS. 298 Main Street.

HAVE A LARGE STOCK OF

Ayers' Cherry Pectoral, " PHIS, Heimstreet's Hair Restorer, Mrs. Allen's " Mrs. Allen's " Dressing, Smith's Tonic Syrup. Osgood's Cholagogue, Jaynes' Pills. McLane's Pills. Lyon's Katharion. Brown's Bronchial Troches. Bryan's Wafers! ALSO-A large stock of mrs

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Coal Barge, 2 High Deak, 1 Chowton, 5 tales Oskam, Hof barret Resiz, 10 Coal Boxes, 2 Bez Boxts 1 De Shove's, 1 Old Wharterat. But Line.

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